



HCE NEWSLETTER

June/July 2018

St. Croix County Association for Home and Community Education



Greetings HCE members,

Well, spring has sprung hasn't it? The two feet of snow that we had in April was sure a surprise. I can't wait to get my garden planted. My lilacs are blooming, as well as the poppies and of course the dandelions, which are abundant at my house. Darn it.

I so enjoy the Meet and Greet luncheons that we have every fourth Wednesday of the month. Last month it was at Pegs Restaurant in Wilson. I have never been there before, but the food was very good. It's fun to try new places.

Linda Sutherland and Jean Kelley planned and organized a "T N T" event at the Heritage Center in New Richmond. It sounds like fun, so I will be there, God willing. I'm sure there will be more information within this newsletter. Hope to see you there.

Six members will be attending the NVON conference this year in Pewaukee, WI. We will be coming back on Wednesday, July 18th, which is the first day of the County Fair. Thanks to Phoebe Shourds for organizing all of this. I'm sure there are still time slots open to sign up for working in the HCE building. So give Phoebe a call, thank you.

The State conference is also in Pewaukee, WI. this year. There is still time to send in the registration form. It is always a great learning experience and lots of fun too. Hope to see you there.

Wanda Breitbach, HCE Co-President, St. Croix County

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Executive Board Meeting
May 15 2:00 pm
Ag Services & Education Center

Homemakers Creed and Pledge of Allegiance was said

Roll Call: Betty Lee, Jean Kelley, Linda Sutherland, Phoebe Shourds, Lois Burri, Wanda Breitbach and Stephany Bourdon. **Absent:** Marie Nelson, Donna Wilcoxson, Eunice Hop and JoLane Anderson

The meeting was called to order by our President, Wanda Breitbach.

Secretary Report: Phoebe Shourds motion and Lois Burri second to approve the minutes.

Treasurer Report: Phoebe indicated she's working on budget. Jam it Up and Spud Spectacular went well. Kwik Trip Card may not be given to President's as gifts. We will giving an alternative for Fall Council. Linda Sutherland motion and Betty Lee second Treasurer's Report.

Committee Reports:

Fair—Phoebe indicated we can clean up the building a week prior to the fair. Char Croes will set up the cultural arts display in the HCE building at the fair. Jean will have doll dresses and we will have the silent auction.

Cultural Arts—Linda Sutherland reminded members to sign up for the T.N.T. party on June 14, it sounds like fun.

International—Phoebe is possibly going to the Nicaragua warehouse in July. She is bringing a lot of donations from members. Thank you so much Phoebe.

Spring Council Meeting—There were 37 people that attended. It was a very nice time. Thank you Honey Doers for doing it every year. Your group does a great job.

Membership—Phoebe informed us that we have 7 new members this year. Looking forward to seeing everybody.

Northwest District Meeting—It went well and a good turnout of 41 people.

Scholarship—Scheduled for next meeting

WI Bookworms—Betty Lee is ready for the year. Betty received a nice plant from the kids. It's so good you do this Betty.

New Business:

N.V.O.N.—Scheduled for July 16-18. Come back on the 19th. Make sure your registrations are in by June 15 if you plan to go. There are six that are attending so far.

State Conference—May 19 & 20 and ten are going and held at Foster Hall Gallery in Hammond.

Talked about the form for publishing our pictures in things. The form is for one year

Other Business:

Fall Council and International Committees will be organizing it from Deer Park H.C.E. group.

Meet and Greet at Pegs Pleasant View

The meeting was adjourned and we closed with the Prayer

Closed at 3:15pm

St. Croix County HCE Spring Council Meeting

Friday, May 4

Hammond Town Hall

The meeting was called to order at 10:00am. Spring Into Action was the theme. The Creed and Pledge were said.

Roll Call of Clubs: Deer Park—8, Glover—1, Happy Valley—1, Honey Doers—11, Individuals—4, Lincoln—1, Nike Neighbors—2, Pleasant Grove—1, Springfield—2, Warren—3, Woods n Hills—3

Secretary Report: Phoebe Shourds motion and Lois Burri second

Treasurer Report: Linda Sutherland motion and Marie second

Old Business:

Zero-Challenge—Seeds for women in Africa. Lylene Scholz will collect seeds.

Julie Lang became a new member. Welcome Julie. We all are so happy to have you.

International—Jean Kelley and Eunice Hop. Eunice's program will be on cranes. International night is at the library in Barron.

Nicaragua Trip—Jean Kelley and Wanda Breitbach showed some neat crafts and said it's so rewarding to go there. Phoebe may go to the warehouse in July. Partners of America—Wanda and Jean went to where they send ambulance, fire trucks, etc. to Nicaragua.

Bylaws—Wanda Breitbach discussed. Motion made by Sharon Balcerek to change Section 2 to read: Annual dues of the Association for the calendar year (January 1 to December 31) shall be determined annually at the Spring Council Meeting for the following year and shall include the above assessments. Motion seconded by Charlotte Croes. Motion approved.

New Business:

Fair—Phoebe reminded of fair dates, July 18-22. We will still sell books. Master Gardeners will be there. We will be doing baskets, will wait until prior to the fair. Char Croes will set up the cultural arts display in the HCE bldg. at the fair."

June T.N.T. Party—Linda Sutherland reminded members it will be held June 14 and the cost is \$10.00 and will be held at Cedar Creek in New Richmond. A tour of New Richmond Heritage from 11am-2pm. Send your \$10.00 to Linda Sutherland payable St. Croix County H.C.E.

Foster Hall Gallery—This event is May 19-20 in Hammond

Scholarship—Phoebe presented to Jarin Peterson, Louise Peterson's granddaughter. Jarin joined the Army Reserves and will go to River Falls and later Minnesota to study to be a mortician. She received a certificate and a Rural School Book of Country Schools. Caleb Johnson is Lynda Johnson's grandson. Caleb will pursue an education in Administrative/Business. Caleb went to Riverdale High School and will graduate in May 2018. Shirley Grinley stood in as Caleb as Lynda couldn't attend.

Cultural Arts—Char Croes

Bookworms—Sponsored by P.B.S.

Awards—Dorothy Hughes for 22 years as Early Childhood Reader. Carolyn Barrette—50 years H.C.E. member; Donna Wilcoxson—60 years H.C.E. member; Viola Roquette—65 years H.C.E. member.

State Convention Drawing—Merlee Jensen and Sharon Balcerek with Char Croes being alternate. Drew names for prizes for centerpieces off the tables.

Meeting was adjourned and we closed with the prayer.

T—N—T Party (T-shirt and Iced Tea)

June 14; 11am

New Richmond Heritage Center

Wear you funniest, most colorful, loudest or just a favorite t-shirt and come for a relaxing party. We will be outside in the gazebo (weather permitting) or inside the pavilion. The cost is only \$10.00/person and we will be able to tour the Bell-Terney house and the other buildings. Special visitor Christine Melby from Cedar Lake Reflection Tea Company and she will tell us about her tea products.

There will be a light lunch and plenty of iced tea to drink. Prizes will be awarded for certain t-shirt categories and everyone will go home with their own iced tea glass.

So get out your favorite t-shirt, invite a friend or two and come for some fun at our “T—N—T” party.

Pre-registration would be appreciated!



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T—N—T Party
June 14; 11am
Cost: \$10/person

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Friend Information

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Total amount enclosed: _____

Send Registrations and Payment to: Linda Sutherland at 1594 5th Ave., Star Prairie, WI 54026

Fall Council / International Night

June 19; 6:30pm

Baldwin Village Office

The HCE international program for 2018 will feature Barbara De Souza in the meeting room adjacent to the Baldwin Public Library. Barbara worked with church groups and related organizations giving medical training to Brazilians for 40 years; empowering women to give health care. She returned to the USA to receive needed medical assistance for herself and her husband. Suffering from “reverse culture shock” she found happiness in reliving and writing about her experiences. The resulting book is called *When Sleeping Women Awake, Mountains Will Move*. She now lives in River Falls and is planning on speaking to HCE members, book loving friends, and general public.

Dues Explained

We have had several new people that have join HCE over the last 2-3 years and just wanted to explain what goes into the dues that are paid yearly in October.

Of the \$10 we pay, \$5.00 goes to the state board, \$.40 goes to the District and the remaining \$4.60 we keep in our county – all goes towards expenses. We have roughly 100 members in our county.

County Fair

Again this year we will be having a Silent Auction and Book sale. Char Croes has graciously offered to be in the HCE building Wednesday July 18, so that several of us can attend NVON in Pewaukee, since Wisconsin is hosting this year. Items can be dropped off there or at office at the fairgrounds – in case Char is unavailable – please put a note with club/member who is donating – so I can report later. You can also bring in Thursday morning as well – building will be open around 9:00am. We will also be cleaning the building Saturday prior to the fair – if that works better. Thanks again for all your support on donations and coverage, can't do it without you all.

Contributions

Reminder to Submit any Club, County or Board contributions you have made since last June 1 to May 31.

If you attended Spring and/or Fall Councils, Club Meetings, Board Meetings, Meet and greet Meetings, made something, donated something or time or dollars – just jot down. Rough estimate is fine. Use the forms (can be found on www.wahceinc.org) or your last newsletter) if easier and email to pnpaulson@yahoo.com or mail to Phoebe Shourds, 401 State Road 65, River Falls, WI, 54022 – due by June 4.

**Ag Services and
Education Center
Hours of Operation:**
Monday—Friday
8:00 am—4:30 pm
715-531-1930

HCE International 2018

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Congratulations



Congratulations and thank you to the members recognized at the Spring Council meeting.

Dorothy Hughes—22 years Early Reader

Carolyn Barrette—50 years

Donna Wilcoxson—60 years

Viola Roquette—65 years

Thank you to all members and board members for all you do for your clubs, communities and world. Your hard work and dedication doesn't go unnoticed. Keep up the great work that you

all do!



Hatties Corner

This newsletters' offerings has some good non-chemical solutions for problems that might be 'bugging' you.

- A small bowl of apple cider vinegar set out on a counter will attract and kill those pesky little fruit flies.
- Slice an orange into quarters, put them out where you see Asian beetles, throw after bugs cover the slices.

* Here's one for stain removal, even set in ones. 1 tsp. Dawn dish soap, 3-4 Tbsp. hydrogen peroxide, and 2 Tbsp. baking soda. Put this on a stain and scrub with a scrub brush. Wash as usual.

What are some of your household, gardening, crafting, etc., tips? How about sharing them with me. You can let Melissa Heath or Linda Sutherland know and they'll get the hints to Hattie.

Scholarship Recipients

Congratulations to St. Croix County HCE Scholarship recipients: Caleb Johnson and Jarin Peterson.

Caleb is the grandson to Lynda Johnson. Caleb will pursue an education in Administrative Assistant/Business. Jarin Peterson is the granddaughter of Louise Peterson. Jarin will pursue an education in Mortuary Sciences/Funeral Director.





2018 WAHCE Conference Registration Information
September 16 - 18, 2018



Country Springs (The Ingleside Hotel) Hotel

2810 Golf Road, Pewaukee, WI 53072

“HCE Springs Into Action”

Make check payable to: WAHCE, Inc.
 Mail with registration form to Conference Registrar Darlene Schumacher
 2531 Golf Course Road, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494
 Phone: 715-424-2851 Email: darleneschumacher41@gmail.com

- Registration, tour and meal fees are transferable, but not refundable.
- WAHCE reserves the right to alter or cancel a class as necessary. There is a \$50 late fee after August 15.
- UW-Extension Family Living Educators are not required to pay a registration fee.

Registration Deadline: August 15, 2018

Registration Hours: Sunday, September 16 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm
 Monday, September 17 8:30 am – 5:00 pm
 Tuesday, September 18 7:00 am – 8:30 am

Tours: Four tours are scheduled. Please indicate your first (1), second (2), third (3), and fourth (4) choice. Include the tour fee with your registration. If you need special bus accommodations, please indicate that information on your registration form so we can make arrangements to provide a handicap accessible bus. If you do not go on a tour, you may drive to Paint & Sip with Chris or stay at the hotel and play games.

Cultural Arts: Items may be brought in Sunday (9/16) from 6:30 – 8:00 pm or Monday (9/17) from 8:00 am – 11:00am. Judging will begin at 1:00pm on Monday.

Business Meeting: President Joan Staffon will preside at the WAHCE, Inc., Annual Business Meeting which is open to all conference attendees. Voting delegates (County Presidents and WAHCE Board members) are required to attend. All voting delegates will sit in assigned seating. This meeting begins at 8:00 am.

Workshops: Indicate your first (1), second (2), third (3), fourth (4), and fifth (5) choice in each time period. Second, third, fourth and fifth choices are needed in case your first choice is filled. Omitting the second, third, fourth and fifth choice will not insure placement in your first choice.

Education Program Workshops: Learning About Childhood Trauma – Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) (Tuesday at 3:00 pm) and Keep Your Credit Report in Check (Wednesday at 10:30 am) are the Educational Programs. Every county should have their Vice President of Program and/or Vice President of Family and Community Life (or a substitute) attending these sessions. All are welcome.

Meals: The cost of the meal package is \$110.00 (including gratuity). The meal package includes a light continental breakfast, Monday night dinner, Tuesday lunch and dinner, and Wednesday lunch. Please indicate any special meal requirements on the registration form.

Room Reservations: Reservations must be made directly with the Country Springs Hotel (The Ingleside Hotel). Reservations can be made by calling (262) 547-0201. State the dates September 16 – 19 or WAHCE.

Room rates are \$99.00 per room (1-2 persons). Each additional person is \$10. There are a few suites available. They will charge your credit card for one night when you make your reservation. The room block will be released on August 11th. Check in time is 4 pm – check out time is 11:00 am.

Wisconsin Sales Tax Exemption: Unless you are being reimbursed by your county HCE organization, you will be charged sales tax. Please ask your County President for the letter required by the hotel.

Conference Chair: Donna Zarovy
 E-mail: zarovy@frontier.com

Co-Chair: Chris Werner
 E-mail: jwernerfamily@msn.com



2018 WAHCE Conference Registration

September 17-19, 2018

The Country Springs (Ingliside) Hotel, 2810 Golf Road, Pewaukee, WI 53170



Name _____ Attach Mailing Label here →

County _____ District _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (including area code) _____ E-mail address _____

Officer or Committee Chair (circle one) _____ State _____ District _____ County _____ Specific Office held _____

First Time Attendee? Yes No Special Dietary Needs _____

I grant the WAHCE, the right to use, publish, and copyright my image for educational programs and publications, web sites and promotion of the WAHCE programs. PLEASE SIGN: _____

Make check payable to WAHCE, Inc. and mail with registration form to Conference Registrar:
 Darlene Schumacher, 2531 Golf Course Road, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494. Phone 715-424-2851
 E-mail: darlenschumacher41@gmail.com. Registration Deadline: August 15, 2018

Workshops & Tours ****Please number in order of preference 1, 2, 3, 4, 5****

September 17th, Monday Tours

- #1 Ten Chimneys, (Lynn Fontanne House) \$ 41.00
- #2 Milwaukee County Zoo \$ 30.00
- #3 Historic Greendale (Test Kitchen and Tours) \$ 46.00
- #4 Wisconsin Quilt Museum and Cedar Creek \$ 23.00
- Need handicap access on bus**
- #5 Paint and Sip with Chris (fee of \$24 paid at door – NO BUS)

September 18th, Tuesday

Workshops Session #1: 8:30 – 9:45 AM

- 101 WAHCE Annual Business Meeting (**Note: 8:00 Start**)
- 102 American Sign Language Today
- 103 Art on Sea Glass (material fee paid to instructor)
- 104 Lifelong Gardening
- 105 Look! My Feet Are Straight!
- 106 Sleep Issues: What You Need to Know

Workshop Session #2: 10:15 – 11:30 AM

- 201 American Sign Language Today
- 202 Caring Connections – Having Better Visits With Loved Ones in Nursing Facilities
- 203 Fun with Fermentation
- 204 International Workshop Roundtable
- 205 Perennials with Purpose
- 206 WTMJ Weather Storm Chasing
- 207 Wisconsin Bookworms: Explore the 2018-19 Books

{ After lunch, there will be a Conference Planning Roundtable }

Workshop Session #3: 3:00 – 4:15 PM

- 301 Early Readers Literacy Takes Young Minds Anywhere
- 302 Fun With Fermentation
- 303 Hogs for Heroes: Road Therapy for Injured Veterans
- 304 Education Program: Learning About Childhood Trauma – Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)
- 305 Old Fashion Christmas: A Heartwarming Look at the Past
- 306 Rock County Barn Quilts
- 307 Treasurer's Workshop

September 19th, Wednesday

Workshop Session #4: 8:30 – 9:30

- 401 Memory Wire Bracelet (\$10 fee paid to instructor)
- 402 Hug In A Mug
- 403 Let's Have a Hootenanny!
- 404 Membership Workshop
- 405 She Came from Kansas
- 406 Serving Wisconsin's Aging Population
- 407 The Power Of Protein

Workshop Session #5: 10:30 – 11:30

- 501 Holiday Deco-Mesh Wreath (material fee paid to instructor)
- 502 Human Trafficking in Wisconsin
- 503 Education Program: Keep Your Credit Report in Check
- 504 My Life with the Green & Gold, 20 Years of Sports Reporting
- 505 Preparing Your Home
- 506 Raising Backyard Poultry
- 507 Taking Care of You, Mind, Body and Spirit

Full Registration Fees:		
Each County Bring Tax ID Number Sheet for Hotel		
WAHCE Member or spouse	\$50.00	\$ _____
Non-member	\$55.00	\$ _____
UW-Extension	No cost	\$ FREE
Late Fee (after August 15)	\$50.00	\$ _____
Total Meal Package (4 meals)	\$110.00	\$ _____
One Day Fees:		
Tuesday Registration	\$30.00	\$ _____
Wednesday Registration	\$20.00	\$ _____
Monday Evening Meal	\$30.00	\$ _____
Tuesday Lunch	\$25.00	\$ _____
Tuesday Banquet	\$30.00	\$ _____
Wednesday Lunch	\$25.00	\$ _____
Tour Fee		\$ _____
Total Enclosed:		\$ _____

**2018 NVON Conference Registration
 NVON - Learning, Leading, Serving
 Enhance Leadership Skills**

July 16 - 19, 2018

The Country Springs Hotel (Soon to be Ingleside) -Pewaukee, Wisconsin

Name (one form per person) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Telephone (include area code) _____

E-mail address _____

Member _____ Guest _____ First Time Attendee _____ E-mail Registration Confirmation _____ Y _____ N

Include a self-addressed stamped envelope if you would like a written registration confirmation.

I grant the WAHCE/NVON, the right to use, publish and copyright my image for educational program and publications, web sites and promotion of WAHCE and/or NVON programs.

Signature _____

Choose a seminar/ craft class you would like to attend by placing a 1, 2, or 3 in the space before the selection. Omitting the 2nd or 3rd choice does not guarantee placement in 1st choice. Tours and seminars will be filled as registrations are received. **Fees for craft classes are not included in the registration. You will pay the instructor when you attend the class.**

TOURS - Tours are open to anyone.
 (Lunch is NOT included in tour cost.)

Monday, July 16
 _____ 9:00 am – 4:00 pm - Old World Wisconsin - Fee \$40
 _____ 11:30 am – 5:00 pm - Wisconsin Museum of Quilts and Fiber Arts
 & Cedarburg Shops - Fee \$25

Tuesday, July 17
 _____ 9:00 am – 2:45 pm** - Tour of Harley Davidson Museum and
 Lakefront Brewery - Fee \$30

Wednesday, July 18
 _____ 9:15 am – 1:45 pm** - Milwaukee Art Museum - Fee: \$25

** Tuesday and Wednesday tours have been reduced \$10 as a credit for lunches included in the meal package.

HERITAGE SKILL CLASSES

9:00 - 10:00 am, Monday July 16
 _____ Chicken Scratch
 _____ Hexie Needle Keeper
 _____ Sun Catcher

10:30 - 11:30 am, Monday July 16
 _____ Art on Seaglass
 _____ Sashiko - Japanese Needle Art
 _____ Wool Heart Scissor Keeper
 _____ Workshop - Aprons, Tie One On

2:00 - 3:15 pm, Monday July 16
 _____ Friendship Necklace
 _____ Dried Flower Wreath
 _____ Sun Bonnet Sue Needle Keeper
 _____ Workshop - From Tobacco to Grapes

EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS

<p>Tuesday, July 17, 2:00 - 3:00 pm _____ Lifelong Gardening _____ Popcorn _____ The Opiate Epidemic in Wisconsin _____ Ventures in People _____ Heritage Skill - Button Necklace</p> <p>Tuesday, July 17, 3:30 - 4:30 pm _____ American Sign Language Today _____ Fermentation Feast _____ Finding Your Passion While Still Balancing Your Responsibilities _____ Look! My Feet are Straight!-</p>	<p>Wednesday, July 18, 2:00 - 3:00 pm _____ Be Food Wise - Reduce Food Waste _____ Birthday Blooms and Blessings _____ Rock County Barn Quilts _____ Taking Care of You, Mind , Body and Spirit</p> <p>Wednesday, July 18, 3:30 - 4:30 pm _____ First Ladies Quilts _____ Fraud Trends and Behavior _____ Let's Eat Grandma! _____ Listen, Your Weeds are Talking to You _____ Heritage Skill- Swedish Weaving Table Mat</p>
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Impact of HCE – 2018

HCE Club Member Contribution Report

To recognize the achievements and contributions of HCE members, each member is asked to complete the following sheet. Information will be compiled into an "Impact of HCE" Report. The dates for the report for 2018 are June 1st, 2017 to May 31st, 2018. Please give your reports to your Club President or your County President so they can be compiled. **Counties will put everything together on the County Form and send to JoAnn Blonien, WAHCE Vice President for Family and Community Life by June 10th, 2018. Thank You!**

Contact information: (will not be shared, for record keeping only)

Club Member's Name: _____

County: _____

Club: _____

In the past year please indicate the number of times you attended and the amount of time you gave for the following:

<u>Event</u>	<u># Attended</u>	<u>Time Spent</u>
County HCE Executive Board Meetings	_____	_____
County HCE Spring Event(s)	_____	_____
County HCE Fall Event(s)	_____	_____
County HCE Educational Sessions	_____	_____
HCE Club Meetings	_____	_____
HCE District Meetings	_____	_____
HCE State Meetings	_____	_____
		TOTAL _____

Please list any fundraising activities you were involved with on behalf of HCE.

(example: bake sale at the bank for HCE)

<u>Fundraising Activity</u>	<u>Time Spent</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
	TOTAL _____

Please list any community outreach activities that are directly related to HCE .

(example: Bingo at the nursing home for HCE)

<u>Community Outreach</u>	<u>Time Spent</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
	TOTAL _____

Please list the value of any **individual donations** (monetary or otherwise) you made for HCE. Note: Club donations will be obtained from Club Treasurer.

(example: crocheted baby blanket for HCE)

<u>Donations</u>	<u>Estimated Dollar Value</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
	TOTAL _____

Club News:

Glover—Donation of \$100 to River Falls Food Shelf. The May meeting focus is on collecting money/donations for the food shelf as the pantry can purchase items through sources at a lesser price. The emphasis of this meeting was to bring information on local charities and services that are available. Nancy talked about Adoray and Face to Face. Phyllis talked about the United Fund, Town of Troy Inc. and the local ARC (Area Resource Center). Donna talked about Treasurers/Adoray. Mary talked about the CCW organization at her church, Options for Women and Interim Home Health Care. Carol brought information on ADRC (Aging & Disabilities Resource Center) and Comfort Keepers. The club spent \$50 on memorials in honor of Audrey Alton and Marlene Wells to the River Falls Library Foundation for special programs. Club members held a lesson on the history of River Falls. Nancy brought a Wikipedia printout of River Falls. Mary brought a scrapbook and talked about (then candidate) President John Kennedy coming to their house and the families relationship with him. Donna shared about moving from Rush River to the Owens farm and the tornado that happened in 1958 when she was in a trailer house with a two year old. Phoebe has found additional information about the Foster Cemetery. Phyllis brought newspaper articles about the First National Bank remodeling and the year 1958 in River Falls.

Lincoln—The club received a thank you for their donation to support the creation of the Celtic Family Ties quilt which Joan worked on. It wasn't auctioned off at the Family Resource Center Gala but instead tickets will be sold for a raffle. Joan had tickets available for us to purchase, they are \$10.00 each. The drawing will be on May 23 at the Family Resource Center's Open House. Joan reminded members to save pictures from old calendars as mentioned in the newsletter and she will collect them and deliver them to the office. Discussed the upcoming T-N-T Party on June 12 as a club outing. International Night is June 19 and the club picnic will be June 20 at the Vobejda residence. The St. Croix County Fair is July 18-22, watch for information regarding working in the HCE Building. Joan had two quilts on display at the Baldwin Library for the quilt presentation. The presentation didn't occur due to snowstorm.

Nike Neighbors—Discussion of the pie booth at Good Neighbor Days. Joanne will be shopping for the supplies. The monthly lesson / Program was the Spring District Meeting.

Meet and Greet Opportunities

June 27 at Sneaker's Pub—South 119 Makay Ave, Spring Valley

July 25 at Patty's Woodville Café—120 South Main St., Woodville

Meet and Greet gatherings are at 11:30am

Committee: Joan Brown 715-749-3302 and
Wanda Breitbach 715-248-3806



* Please call Joan a day before to RSVP for head count for the restaurant *

Calendar of Events

June	19	International Night	Baldwin Public Library 6:30pm
June	27	Meet & Greet	Sneaker's Pub, Spring Valley 11:30am
July	10	Executive Board Meeting	Ag Center 2:00 – 3:30pm
July	16-18	NVON – Pewaukee WI	Pewaukee WI
July	18-22	St. Croix County Fair/Master Gardeners	Glenwood City 9am-9pm
July	25	Meet & Greet	Patty's Café, Woodville 11:30am
Aug	1	Conference items Due: Service Awards, Cultural Arts Registration, etc.	